

REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing amendment prior to continued examination is respectfully requested. No new matter has been entered.

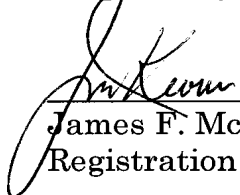
Accordingly, entry of the proposed amendments and allowance of all claims is earnestly solicited.

If there are any questions regarding this response or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket # 101280.53096US).

Respectfully submitted,

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